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Docket No. 7282

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF  
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APPLICATION**

Application of

Morag M. Eaton et al.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants wish to claim the benefit of the filing date of the earlier U.K. Application Serial No. 9624894.3, filed on November 29, 1996, recited in the Declaration under the provision of 35 U.S.C. 119, and accordingly, Applicants submit herewith a certified copy of said British application.

Respectfully submitted,

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